

Infinite Stratos - Chapter 1

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カリー

アニメ
大賞

やほっ俺の
青春ラブコメは
まちがっていいよ

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INFINITE STRATOS

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新作TVアニメ×製作決定!

イナズナバレー
INAZUMA STRATO



I'LL
FINALLY
SEE
ICHIKA
AGAIN.



世界初!



COMING FROM 2008!!

WHILE
THE DETAILS
ON HOW THIS
WAS COME TO BE
REMAINS TO BE
A MYSTERY
THE GOVERN-
MENT IS AWARE
OF HOW SEVERE
THE SITUATION IS
THUS, ICHIKA
OMINARI, THE
MALE WHO HAS
ACTIVATED
THE IS



THE
TWO
OF US
WILL BE
GOING
TO
SCHOOL
TO-
GETHER.



STARTING
THIS
SPRING,

大ヒットハイスピード
学園バトルラブコメ、GXで起動!!

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ISプロジェクト 続々再起動!!

【Vol.1】ISのオーバーテイク文庫より
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THE LAST
WOMAN
HE SAID
TO ME WAS
THE DAY
WE GOT
SEPARATED.

GOOD-
BYE,
HOUKI.

YEAH,
ICHIKA.
GOOD-
BYE.

HOWEVER,
I ONLY FELT
THAT WE WERE
TRULY SEPA-
RATED WHEN
WE DIDN'T
EXCHANGE
GREETINGS THE
NEXT DAY.



SIX
YEARS
AND HALF
A MONTH
HAVE PASSED
WITHOUT THAT
HAPPENING...

AND NOW,
I'M GOING
TO SEE
HIM ONCE
MORE...





NOW THAT
WE'RE IN HIGH
SCHOOL,
I REALLY
HAVE TO
SHOW THAT
I'VE GROWN
UP AND
MATURED

JUST THE
THOUGHT OF
BEING IN THE
SAME CLASS
AS ICHIKA
MAKES ME ALL
NERVOUS.



HA-NO
I REALLY
SHOULD-
NT.



---Pss



???

W-
WHY?

ARE YOU
GLARING
AT ME LIKE
THAT?



I-I didn't
speak you
or anything,
right? I
apologise
if I did.

F-Forgive
me for
raising
my voice.

Orimura
Ichika-
kun!

Y-YES?



I'm
really
sorry to
startle
you

Well,
you said
he was
doing
self-intro-
ductions...
And, um,
it's now your
turn.

But,
I hope you
don't mind
reintroducing
yourself to
your class-
mates.



THE
NAME'S
ORIMURA
ICHIKA.

NICE
TO
MEET
YOU
ALL.

THAT'S
ALL.

R-Really?
You mean it?
Honest to
goodness?
Promise that
you'll do it?

Y-YOU
REALLY DON'T
HAVE TO BE THAT
APOLOGETIC.
BESIDES, IT'S
NOT LIKE I
WON'T DO IT.

Yes..

Well..



Nothing more?

What else
can I do?

Is that it?

CHIPUYU-NEE?

Ah, Omeaga-
meen Does
that mean
the meeting
is Really
over?

WHAT THE!

SORRY
FOR
MAKING
YOU
WELCOME
THE CLASS
FOR ME.

YES,
YAMA-
OCHI-KUN.

LISTEN
AND TAKE
WHAT I
SAY TO
HEART.

IT IS
MY JOB
TO SEE YOU
ROOKIES
BE ABLE
TO PILOT
THE IS
ONCE THE
YEAR IS
OVER.

ALRIGHT
CLASS. I'M
ORIMURA
CHIPUYU.

I'LL TEACH
EACH AND
EVERY
ONE OF YOU
TO BE ABLE
TO DO IT.

DO YOU
UNDER-
STAND?

I'LL
BE THE
ONE WHO
TRAINS
YOU
YOUNG-
STERS.
I DON'T
CARE IF
YOU LIKE
ME OR
NOT.

近

UPDATE

Yumizuru Izuru

Yumizuru Izuru, formerly writing Yumizuru, is
a 19-year-old Japanese and English translator and
editor. He is the author of the book "The Art of the
Manga".





YOU
WILL
CALL ME
"ORUMU-
DA-
SENSEI" HERE AT SCHOOL.

YES,
ORUMU-
SENSEI.

What?
Is Orumura-
kun really
ChiFuyu-sensei's
younger brother?

I wonder
if that has
anything
to do with
the fact that
he's the only
guy in the
world who
can control
an IS?

How
nice
I wish
I was
her sbr-
ling in-
stead.

THEY
KNOW...

THIS
IS BAD...



ARE SIMILAR
TO A POWERED
EXOSKELETON
THAT PEOPLE
CAN PUT ON.
INFINITE
STRATOS
ABBREVIATED
AS "IS".

THAT'S
RIGHT.

IS



ONLY HE IS
DOMINATES IN
THIS FIELD.

WITH THE OLD
BALANCE OF
MILITARY STRENGTH
IN THE WORLD
GONE.

BEFORE IS
WAS NOTHING
MORE THAN A
BLANCH OF
STEEL BUT
RIGHT NOW
THEY'RE NOW
BATTLE ARMA-
MENTS.



AND THUS,
THIS SCHOOL
HAS COME INTO
EXISTENCE!

PUB-
LICLY

IN
REAL-
ITY

AN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION
ESTABLISHED WITH THE OBJECTIVE OF
TRAINING IS PILOTS WHOSE FUNDING AND
MANAGEMENT COMES FROM JAPAN ITSELF.
ANY AND ALL RESULTS MADE IN HERE SHOULD BE
SHARED TO THE ENTIRE WORLD. ANY INCIDENT THAT
HAPPENS WITHIN SHOULD BE TREATED IN IMPARTIALITY
AS AGREED UPON THE TREATY. ALSO, THERE SHOULDNT
BE ANY DISCRIMINATION FOR QUALIFIED STUDENTS AND
WILL BE EACH GIVEN PROPER ACCOMMODATION.

Look,
Japan
because
of that
damned JD
you made
the world
is in
fucking
chaos!

The
very
least
you
could
do
is
train
people
for it

WHAT A
SUCKY
JOB
ARE STATE A

Why,
you
should
cover
that
your
school!

What
about
the
mission
you
ask?



AND TO
THINK THAT
A GUY LIKE ME
USED TO HAVE
NOTHING TO DO
WITH THIS
IS STUFF...

HAA



MY LIFE
CHANGED.

HOWEVER, WHEN THE
WORD ABOUT ME BEING
THE FIRST AND ONLY GUY
IN THE WORLD TO
OPERATE AN IS,



WHICH IS
WHY THERE
ARE ONLY
GIRLS WHO
STUDY HERE
IN THE IS
ACADEMY.

HOWEVER,
THE IS'S
COULD ONLY
BE OPERATED
BY WOMEN.



He He

I MEAN,
YOU JUST
SMACKED MY
FACE RIGHT
IN FRONT OF
SO MANY
PEOPLE.
YOU'RE A
MONSTER.

OH MAN,
WHAT A
RUTHLESS
DRILL
SERGEANT
YOU ARE,
CHIEFY-
NEE.



ANY
PROB-
LEMS,
ORINKU-
RAP?



SO,
HAVE
YOU GOT
THAT?

AN-
SWER
ME IF
YOU
DO.

EVEN
IF YOU
DON'T,
ANSWER.

THIS
ENDS
SHORT
HOME-
ROOM.

FOR
THE
FIRST SIX
MONTHS,
YOU WILL
FIRST
LEARN THE
BASICS
OF IS.

AFTER
THAT,
YOU'LL DO
KINESTHETIC
TRAINING
TO FULLY
UNDER-
STAND WHAT
YOU HAVE
LEARNED.



N-NO,
NOTHING
AT ALL,
REALLY.





W-
WHAT?

OH,
ONE
MORE
THING!



YOU STILL
HAVE THE
SAME HAIR-
STYLE.

IT'S
BEEN A
WHILE.

BUT, EVEN
AFTER SIX
YEARS,
I WILL
RECOGNIZE
YOU RIGHT
AWAY, HOUJI.



A-AND WHY
ARE YOU
LOOKING
AT THE
NEWS-
PAPER?

WHAT DO YOU
MEAN?
IT'S IN THE
NEWS-
PAPER.

WHAT?
HOW DID YOU
FIND OUT
ABOUT THAT?

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YOU
SEEM
TO...

HAVE
GROWN...



HOW CAN
I FORGET
ABOUT YOU?
YOU'RE MY
CHILDHOOD
FRIEND.

YOU
STILL REMEM-
BER THAT, DON'T
YOU?



STERNING
HOPE,
UNWAVERING
DISCIPLINE,
STUBBORN.

YOU WERE
ALWAYS LIKE
THAT EVER SINCE
WE WERE IN
ELEMENTARY
SCHOOL.

STILL
BEING
STOIC,
SEE.
ALMOST
LIKE A
SAMURAI.



RECOGNIZE
YOU RIGHT
AWAY, HOUKI.

Not to
mention, you
and I've shared
class.

I STILL

IT HAS
ONLY BEEN SIX
YEARS BUT YOU
HAVE GROWN
QUITE A BIT.



OH NO,
I'M SO OVER-
WHELMED BY
HAPPINESS
THAT IT'S ALMOST
SHOWING IN
MY FACE!

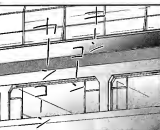
IT'S
NICE TO
KNOW THAT
ICHIKA ALSO
REMEMBERS
ME WELL!

AT THIS RATE,
ICHIKA'S GOING
TO THINK THAT
I'M AN UNUSUAL
WOMAN!

I HAVE TO GET
A HOLD OF MYSELF!



WHY
ARE YOU
SMILING
AT YOUR
OLD GOOD
FRIEND LIKE
THAT?



Y-
YEAH.

I ALSO
RECOGNIZED
YOU THE
MOMENT
I SAW YOU.









YOU
WILL
MEMO-
RIZE IT,
OKAY?

YES,
I'LL DO
IT...



THAT
BIG BOOK
WITHIN
THIS
WEEK?

WHAT?



RIGHT
NOW,
YOU ARE
LIKE AN
BLUNT
KNIFE

BEST
ASSURED
THAT IT
IS THE
SCHOOL'S
DUTY TO
TEMPER AND
FORGE
YOU INTO
BECOMING
BETTER.

BE
SURE TO
FOLLOW
ME FOR
THE NEXT
THREE
YEARS



WE
WILL

Yes! We will follow
you wherever you may
take us, Chikyu-sensei!

Y-
Yes



SINCE
IT CAN
CLASSI-
FIED AS A
WEAPON
ITSELF,
ACCIDENTS
ARE SURE
TO HAPPEN
IF YOU
DON'T KNOW
HOW TO
USE IT
WELL.

THAT
IS WHY
THE NEED
FOR BASIC
KNOW-
LEDGE AND
TRAINING
EXISTS.

COMPARED
TO CONVEN-
TIONAL
WEAPONS,
THIS IS
FAR BETTER
IN MOBILITY,
FIREPOWER
AND CON-
TROL.

EVEN IF
YOU DON'T
UNDER-
STAND IT,
MEMORIZE
IT AND
ALWAYS
KEEP IT AT
HEART.

THAT
WOULD
BE THE
RULES





I DEFEATED AN INSTRUCTOR TOO.

COME ALONG!



B-BUT

I HEARD THAT I WAS THE ONLY ONE.

DID I HEAR THAT RIGHT? YOU DEFEATED AN INSTRUCTOR?



THEY MIGHT HAVE MEANT YOU'RE THE ONLY FEMALE.

BESIDES, YOUR COUNTRY DOESN'T HAVE MANY THINGS TO BRAG ABOUT - HOW MANY YEARS HAS IT BEEN NOW?

THAT ENGLAND HAS WON THE WORLD'S WORST CUISINE AWARDS?



I'VE COME TO THIS BEAUTIFUL ISLAND CALLED JAPAN BECAUSE I WANT NURTURE MY SKILLS WITH THE IS. NOT TO BECOME PART OF SOME CIRQUEUS ACT!

LISTEN.

THE CLASS REPRESENTATIVE SHOULD BE THE CREAM OF THE CROP AND WHO ELSE IS BETTER FOR THAT POSITION OTHER THAN I, CECILIA ALSCOTT? NOT ONLY AM I THE CABET REPRESENTATIVE OF ENGLAND BUT I ALSO CAME IN ON TOP AMONG THE ONES WHO TOOK THE ENTRANCE EXAM.

NOT ONLY THAT, I HAVE DEFEATED AN INSTRUCTOR DURING THE ENTRANCE EXAM, RANKING ME AN ELITE AMONGST THE ELITE!

I JUST
CAN'T
ACCEPT
THAT!

NOWADAYS,
WOMEN ARE TREATED
MUCH BETTER THANKS
TO THE EMERGENCE
OF THE IS.

I FINALLY
SAID IT.

Only women
can use this IS

Women are great!

Overpowered

WOMEN SAY TO THEM IF
WE ARE IMPROVED THEM



I CAN'T
BELIEVE
YOU HAVE THE
AUDACITY TO
INSULT MY
COUNTRY!

WHY
YOU!

Uploader
Yuki Homura

THIS
CALLS FOR
A DUEL!

Hi, this is Yuki Homura, I did my best to make this manga not any
one knows who is reading this for the first time but also for the first time
be experiencing it for the first time. I'm looking forward to your support.



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"Men are so feeble and weak right now."

A war/breaks
out between males and females
(men wouldn't be able to hold
out for more than three days
if rather than be completely
under women's control
within three hours)

Physical
strength here means
nothing. It's true that only
a few can pilot an IS, but all
of them are potential IS
pilots. In the other hand,
almost all girls can pilot
an IS well.

Girls of the States
better than conventional
weapons

(As for the Cadet Representatives,
they have their own personal machines
specifically tailored for them. It has
been said that they are the strongest
in their country.)

After all,
not only is
she the Cadet
Representative
of England
but she also
has her own IS.

You could
always take up
the handicap
Cecilia's
offering.

Still,
Orimura-kun, it's
not too late
yet.



EVERYONE
ELSE IS
LAUGHING
NO SURPRISE
THERE.

She's
right.

Of
course.

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NO
HANDI-
CAPS.

Indeed, when it
comes to a fight
between a man
and a woman, he
stands no chance
against her.

IT'S
SET-
TLED
THEN.



FIVE
MINUTES
SHOULD BE
ENOUGH,
RIGHT?



YOU
AND
ME.

WE'LL
BE BAT-
TLING
USING
IS'S.



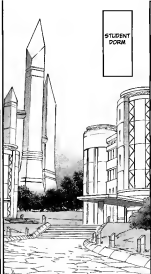
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I wonder where Onis-
ro-ban's
room is

Oh that
looks to
be it.



STUDENT
DORM



GREAT,
SOME
STALK-
ERS.

WHAT
AM I,
A RARE
ANIMAL
OR SOME-
THING?



THIS
LOOKS
LIKE THE
PLACE.

ROOM
102B.







IS
SOME-
ONE
THERE?

OH
RIGHT,
YOU
MUST
BE MY
ROOM-
MATE.



I GUESS
I WOULD
PROBABLY
END
UP TAKING
GENETIC
ENGINEERING
AND
WORKING
MY WAY
TO A PHD
INSTEAD.



I'M
SORRY
THAT
YOU
HAVE
TO
SEE
ME
LIKE
THIS.
I
WAS
USING
THE
SHOWER
BEFORE
YOU
CAME.



MY
NAME
IS
SHINO-
NONO

HOUKI...





>The start of a wonderful(?) school life!